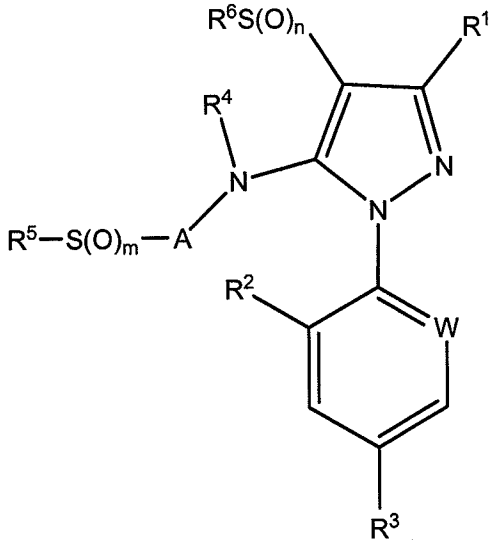
AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims without prejudice, without admission, without surrender of subject matter, and without any intention of creating any estoppel as to equivalents, as follows.

1. (Canceled).
2. (Canceled).
3. (Canceled).

4. (Previously Presented) 5-Substituted-alkylaminopyrazole derivatives of formula (I):



(I)

wherein:

R^1 is CN;

W is C-halogen or C—CH_3;

R^2 is hydrogen, halogen or CH_3;

R^3 is (C_1-C_3)-haloalkyl, (C_1-C_3)-haloalkoxy or $S(O)_p$—(C_1-C_3)-haloalkyl;

R^4 is hydrogen, (C_2-C_6)-alkenyl, (C_2-C_6)-haloalkenyl, (C_2-C_6)-alkynyl, (C_2-C_6)-haloalkynyl, (C_3-C_7)-cycloalkyl, CO—$(CH_2)_q$—R^7, CO_2R^8, CO—$(CH_2)_qR^9$, —CO—(C_1-C_4)-alkyl-(C_1-C_6)-alkoxy, —CO_2—$(CH_2)_qR^7$, —CO_2—$(CH_2)_q$—R^9, —CO_2—(C_3-C_7)-cycloalkyl, —CO_2—(C_1-C_4)-alkyl-(C_3-C_7)-cycloalkyl, —CO_2—(C_3-C_6)-alkenyl, —CO_2—(C_3-C_6)-alkynyl,

$CONR^{10}R^{11}$, —CH_2R^7, —CH_2R^9, OR^7, OR^8 or OR^9; or (C_1-C_6)-alkyl which is substituted by one or more radicals selected from the group consisting of halogen, (C_1-C_6)-alkoxy, (C_1-C_6)-haloalkoxy, (C_3-C_7)-cycloalkyl, $S(O)_pR^8$, CO_2—(C_1-C_6)-alkyl, —O(C=O)—(C_1-C_6)-alkyl, $NR^{10}COR^{12}$, $NR^{10}R^{11}$, $CONR^{10}R^{11}$, $SO_2NR^{10}R^{11}$, OH, CN, N_2, OR^7, $NR^{10}SO_2R^8$, COR^8 and OR^9;

A is (C_1-C_{12})-alkylene and (C_1-C_{12})-haloalkylene in which 2, 3 or 4 adjacent carbon atoms optionally form part of a (C_3-C_8)-cycloalkyl ring which is unsubstituted or substituted by one or more radicals selected from the group consisting of (C_1-C_6)-alkyl and halogen;

R^5 is H, (C_3-C_6)-alkenyl, (C_3-C_6)-haloalkenyl, (C_3-C_6)-alkynyl, (C_3-C_6)-haloalkynyl, (C_3-C_7)-cycloalkyl, —$(CH_2)_qR^7$, —$(CH_2)_qR^9$ or $NR^{10}R^{11}$ provided that for the last mentioned radical m is 2; or is (C_1-C_6)-alkyl unsubstituted or substituted by one or more radicals selected from the group consisting of halogen, (C_1-C_6)-alkoxy, (C_1-C_6)-haloalkoxy, (C_3-C_6)-alkenyloxy, (C_3-C_6)-haloalkenyloxy, (C_3-C_6)-alkynyloxy, (C_3-C_6)-haloalkynyloxy, (C_3-C_7)-cycloalkyl, $S(O)_pR^8$, CN, NO_2, OH, COR^{10}, $NR^{10}COR^{12}$, $NR^{10}SO_2R^8$, $CONR^{10}R^{11}$, $NR^{10}R^{11}$, $S(O)_pR^7$, $S(O)_pR^9$, OR^7, OR^9 and CO_2R^{10};

R^6 is (C_1-C_6)-alkyl, (C_1-C_6)-haloalkyl, (C_2-C_6)-alkenyl, (C_2-C_6)-haloalkenyl, (C_2-C_6)-alkynyl or (C_2-C_6)-haloalkynyl;

R^7 is phenyl unsubstituted or substituted by one or more radicals selected from the group consisting of halogen, (C_1-C_6)-alkyl, (C_1-C_6)-haloalkyl, (C_1-C_6)-alkoxy, (C_1-C_6)-haloalkoxy, CN, NO_2, $S(O)_pR^8$, COR^{11}, COR^{13}, $CONR^{10}R^{11}$, $SO_2NR^{10}OR^{11}$, $NR^{10}OR^{11}$, OH, SO_3H and (C_1-C_6)-alkylideneimino;

R^8 is (C_1-C_6)-alkyl or (C_1-C_6)-haloalkyl;

R^9 is heterocyclyl unsubstituted or substituted by one or more radicals selected from the group consisting of halogen, (C_1-C_4)-alkyl, (C_1-C_4)-haloalkyl, (C_1-C_4)-alkoxy, (C_1-C_4)-haloalkoxy, NO_2, CN, CO_2(C_1-C_6)-alkyl, $S(O)_pR^8$, OH and oxo;

R^{10} and R^{12} are each independently H, (C_1-C_6)-alkyl, (C_1-C_6)-haloalkyl, (C_3-C_6)-alkenyl, (C_3-C_6)-haloalkenyl, (C_3-C_6)-alkynyl, (C_3-C_6)-haloalkynyl, (C_3-C_6)-cycloalkyl, —(C_1-C_6)-alkyl-(C_3-C_6)-cycloalkyl, —$(CH_2)_qR^{13}$ or —$(CH_2)_qR^9$; or

R^{10} and R^{11} and/or R^{10} and R^{12} each together with the respective attached N atom form a five- or six-membered saturated ring which optionally contains an additional hetero atom in the ring

which is selected from O, S and N the ring being unsubstituted or substituted by one or more radicals selected from the group consisting of halogen, (C_1-C_6)-alkyl and (C_1-C_6)-haloalkyl;

R^{11} and R^{14} are each independently H, (C_1-C_6)-alkyl, (C_1-C_6)-haloalkyl, (C_3-C_6)-cycloalkyl or —(C_1-C_6)-alkyl-(C_3-C_6)-cycloalkyl;

R^{13} is phenyl unsubstituted or substituted by one or more radicals selected from the group consisting of halogen, (C_1-C_6)-alkyl, (C_1-C_6)-haloalkyl, (C_1-C_6)-alkoxy, (C_1-C_6)-haloalkoxy, CN, NO_2, $S(O)_pR^8$ and $NR^{11}R^{14}$;

R^{15} is R^{11} or —$(CH_2)_qR^{13}$;

m, n and p are each independently zero, one or two;

q is zero or one; and

each heterocyclyl in the above-mentioned radicals is independently a heterocyclic radical having 3 to 7 ring atoms and 1, 2 or 3 hetero atoms in the ring selected from the group consisting of N, O and S; or a pesticidally acceptable salt thereof.

5. (Previously Presented) 5-Substituted-alkylaminopyrazole derivatives of formula (I) as in claim 4, or pesticidally acceptable salts thereof, wherein:

R^1 is CN;

W is C-halogen or C—CH_3;

R^2 is hydrogen, halogen or CH_3;

R^3 is (C_1-C_3)-haloalkyl, (C_1-C_3)-haloalkoxy or $S(O)_p$—(C_1C_3)-haloalkyl;

R^4 is hydrogen, (C_1-C_6)-alkyl or COR^8;

A is (C_1-C_{12})-alkylene and (C_1-C_{12})-haloalkylene in which 2, 3 or 4 adjacent carbon atoms optionally form part of a (C_3-C_8)-cycloalkyl ring which is unsubstituted or substituted by one or more radicals selected from the group consisting of (C_1-C_6)-alkyl and halogen;

R^5 is H, (C_3-C_6)-alkenyl, (C_3-C_6)-haloalkenyl, (C_3-C_6)-alkynyl, (C_3-C_6)-haloalkynyl, (C_3-C_7)-cycloalkyl, —$(CH_2)_qR^7$, —$(CH_2)_qR^9$ or $NR^{10}R^{11}$ provided that for the last mentioned radical $S(O)_m$ is SO_2; or is (C_1-C_6)-alkyl substituted by one or more radicals selected from the group consisting of halogen, (C_1-C_6)-alkoxy, (C_1-C_6)-haloalkoxy, (C_3-C_6)-alkenyloxy, (C_3-C_6)-haloalkenyloxy, (C_3-C_6)-alkynyloxy, (C_3-C_6)-haloalkynyloxy, (C_3-C_7)-cycloalkyl, $S(O)_pR^8$,

CN, NO_2, OH, COR^{10}, $NR^{10}COR^{12}$, $NR^{10}SO_2R^8$, $CONR^{10}R^{11}$, $NR^{10}R^{11}$, $S(O)_pR^7$, $S(O)_pR^9$, OR^7, OR^9 and CO_2R^{10};

R^6 is $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-alkyl, $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-haloalkyl, $(C_2\text{-}C_6)$-alkenyl, $(C_2\text{-}C_6)$-haloalkenyl, $(C_2\text{-}C_6)$-alkynyl or $(C_2\text{-}C_6)$-haloalkynyl;

R^7 is phenyl unsubstituted or substituted by one or more radicals selected from the group consisting of halogen, $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-alkyl, $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-haloalkyl, $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-alkoxy, $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-haloalkoxy, CN, NO_2, $S(O)_pR^8$, COR^{11}, COR^{13}, $CONR^{10}R^{11}$, $SO_2NR^{10}R^{11}$, $NR^{10}R^{11}$, OH, SO_3H and $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-alkylideneimino;

R^8 is $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-alkyl or $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-haloalkyl;

R^9 is heterocyclyl unsubstituted or substituted by one or more radicals selected from the group consisting of halogen, $(C_1\text{-}C_4)$-alkyl, $(C_1\text{-}C_4)$-haloalkyl, $(C_1\text{-}C_4)$-alkoxy, $(C_1\text{-}C_4)$-haloalkoxy, NO_2, CN, $CO_2(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-alkyl, $S(O)_pR^8$, OH and oxo;

R^{10} and R^{12} are each independently H, $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-alkyl, $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-haloalkyl, $(C_3\text{-}C_6)$-alkenyl, $(C_3\text{-}C_6)$-haloalkenyl, $(C_3\text{-}C_6)$-alkynyl, $(C_3\text{-}C_6)$haloalkynyl, $(C_3\text{-}C_6)$-cycloalkyl, —$(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-alkyl-$(C_3\text{-}C_6)$-cycloalkyl, —$(CH_2)_qR^{13}$ or $CH_2)_qR^9$; or

R^{10} and R^{11} and/or R^{10} and R^{12} each together with the respective attached N atom form a five- or six-membered saturated ring which optionally contains an additional hetero atom in the ring which is selected from O, S and N, the ring being unsubstituted or substituted by one or more radicals selected from the group consisting of halogen, $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-alkyl and $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-haloalkyl;

R^{11} and R^{14} are each independently H, $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-alkyl, $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-haloalkyl, $(C_3\text{-}C_6)$-cycloalkyl or —$(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-alkyl-$(C_3\text{-}C_6)$-cycloalkyl;

R^{13} is phenyl unsubstituted or substituted by one or more radicals selected from the group consisting of halogen, $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-alkyl, $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-haloalkyl, $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-alkoxy, $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-haloalkoxy, CN, NO_2, $S(O)_pR^8$ and $NR^{11}R^{14}$;

R^{15} is R^{11} or —$(CH_2)_qR^{13}$;

m, n and p are each independently zero, one or two;

q is zero or one; and

each heterocyclyl in the above-mentioned radicals is independently a heterocyclic radical having 3 to 7 ring atoms and 1, 2 or 3 hetero atoms in the ring selected from the group consisting of N, O and S.

6. (Previously Presented) 5-Substituted-alkylaminopyrazole derivatives of formula (I) as in claim 4, or pesticidally acceptable salts thereof, wherein the symbols and indices in formula (I) have the following meanings:

R^1 is CN;

R^2 is chlorine;

R^3 is CF_3 or OCF_3;

W is C—Cl;

R^4 is hydrogen or $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-alkyl;

R^5 is $(C_1\text{-}C_6)$-alkyl;

R^6 is CF_3;

A is $(C_2\text{-}C_3)$-alkylene

and m and n are each independently zero, one or two.

7. (Canceled).

8. (Canceled).

9. (Previously Presented) A pesticidal composition comprising a compound of formula (I) or a pesticidally acceptable salt thereof as defined in any one of claims 4 to 6, in association with a pesticidally acceptable diluent or carrier and/or surface active agent.

10. (Canceled)